Expenses for Business Use of Your Home

▶ File only with Schedule C (Form 1040). Use a separate Form 8829 for each home you used for business during the year.

Attachment

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Department of the Treasury ► See separate instructions. Internal Revenue Service Sequence No. 66 Name(s) of proprietor(s) Your social security number Part I Part of Your Home Used for Business Area used regularly and exclusively for business, regularly for day care, or for storage of inventory 1 2 3 Divide line 1 by line 2. Enter the result as a percentage • For day-care facilities not used exclusively for business, also complete lines 4-6. • All others, skip lines 4-6 and enter the amount from line 3 on line 7. hr Multiply days used for day care during year by hours used per day . 4 8,760 hr Total hours available for use during the year (365 days \times 24 hours) (see instructions) 5 6 Divide line 4 by line 5. Enter the result as a decimal amount . . . Business percentage. For day-care facilities not used exclusively for business, multiply line 6 by line 3 (enter the result as a percentage). All others, enter the amount from line 3 **Figure Your Allowable Deduction** Part II Enter the amount from Schedule C, line 29, plus any net gain or (loss) derived from the business use of your home and shown on Schedule D or Form 4797. If more than one place of business, see instructions See instructions for columns (a) and (b) before completing lines 9-20. (a) Direct expenses (b) Indirect expenses 9 Casualty losses (see instructions) 10 Deductible mortgage interest (see instructions). 10 11 11 Real estate taxes (see instructions). . . . 12 12 Add lines 9, 10, and 11. Multiply line 12, column (b) by line 7 13 13 Add line 12, column (a) and line 13. . . . 14 15 Subtract line 14 from line 8. If zero or less, enter -0-. 15 16 Excess mortgage interest (see instructions) . . . 16 17 17 18 18 Repairs and maintenance 19 19 20 20 Other expenses (see instructions) 21 Add lines 16 through 20 22 22 Multiply line 21, column (b) by line 7 Carryover of operating expenses from 2001 Form 8829, line 41 . . . 23 23 Add line 21 in column (a), line 22, and line 23 24 24 25 Allowable operating expenses. Enter the **smaller** of line 15 or line 24 . . . 26 Limit on excess casualty losses and depreciation. Subtract line 25 from line 15. 26 27 27 Excess casualty losses (see instructions) 28 28 Depreciation of your home from Part III below Carryover of excess casualty losses and depreciation from 2001 Form 8829, line 42 29 29 30 30 31 Allowable excess casualty losses and depreciation. Enter the smaller of line 26 or line 30 . . . 31 32 32 33 33 Casualty loss portion, if any, from lines 14 and 31. Carry amount to Form 4684, Section B. Allowable expenses for business use of your home. Subtract line 33 from line 32. Enter here and on Schedule C, line 30. If your home was used for more than one business, see instructions ▶ 34 **Depreciation of Your Home** Part III 35 35 Enter the **smaller** of your home's adjusted basis or its fair market value (see instructions) . . . 36 36 37 37 38 38 39 39 40 Depreciation allowable (see instructions). Multiply line 38 by line 39. Enter here and on line 28 above Carryover of Unallowed Expenses to 2003 Part IV Operating expenses. Subtract line 25 from line 24. If less than zero, enter -0-

Excess casualty losses and depreciation. Subtract line 31 from line 30. If less than zero, enter -0-

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